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DECISIVE BATTLE NOW IN PROGRESS ON RUSS FRONT

GERMAN BATTLE LINE IS 687 MILES LONG, REPORT SAYS

TURKISH TROOPS AGAIN ARE REPULSED

IN ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE DARDANELLES TRENCHES; NO INVASION OF RUSSIA

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, June 17.—GERMAN SUBMARINE VICTIMS TODAY WERE THREE TRAWLERS AND ONE SMALL STEAMER. ALL THE CREWS WERE SAVED.

Berlin, June 17.—According to the Overseas News Agency, a decisive battle from which important results are expected, is now in progress along the Russian front.

The German forces along the Rawa river (Central Russian Poland and West Warsaw) have taken the offensive, say the announcement.

"The German battle line in Poland, Galicia and Bukovina are six hundred and eighty miles long," says the report.

Turks Are Repulsed.

LONDON, June 17.—Turkish troops in the Dardanelles were repulsed today in attempts to recapture the trenches lost to the British and French on June 16th. It is officially announced.

No Fear of Russian Invasion.

LONDON, June 17.—The Times' military correspondent, commenting on the struggle in Galicia intimates that lack of ammunition is retarding the Russians.

"It's not the want of men which has driven Russia to the defensive," he writes. "Not one fifth of Russia's fighting men have taken the field. Therefore, no serious invasion of Russia is yet possible."

Activity in Western Theatre

LONDON, June 17.—For the first time in weeks there has been heavy fighting over a comparatively extensive line on the British front in Belgium and France.

Germans Making Big Drive.

Berlin, June 17.—Special dispatches from the Austrian headquarters report that the Teutonic allies are pushing the Russians vigorously from the San river to the Bessarabia frontier. The latest operations are said to have resulted in bringing General McKensen's forces in contact with General Linington and General Prianzer. Heavy fighting is proceeding along the west line in Galicia but the maximum apparently has not yet been reached. The Russians are bringing all their available forces consisting of fresh recruits, to resist the advance of the German allies.

Caught in Ice Shaft.

N. H. Crumpacker was caught in an ice shaft at Enid, Wednesday, and seriously hurt.



GRANDMA SEZ
THURSDAY.
"MY LITTLE GRANDSON SEZ HE AINT TAKIN' NO PRIZES PER SCHOLARSHIP THIS YEAR BUT HE TOOK FIRST PRIZE PER SWATTIN' FLIES."

BALL FANS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER COMING GAME

EL RENO WILL PLAY GUTHRIE ON GROUNDS HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Ball fans are all enthusiastic over the game between El Reno and Guthrie scheduled for Sunday at 1:30. The El Reno club will come over on the morning jitney and be the guests of Guthrie fans for dinner and the prospects are good for a big lot of El Reno people to accompany them, coming for the double attraction of a good ball game and a plunge at the pool in the bath house.

Admission to the game will be but 25 cents and all proceeds will go to the oil well fund, the El Reno boys donating their share. Guthrie people should show that they are as good sports as the visitors by a big turn out and liberal patronage.

SAVINGS BANK IS DECLARED CITY DEPOSITORY

The Guthrie savings bank has been designated the city depository by the city commissioners. The rate of interest on daily balances, paid by the bank will be 2.25.

At Oklahoma City the State National Bank was designated depository for city money, for the year, paying 3.36, based on daily balances.

PLANNING FOR BIG HORSE SHOW HERE

The advisory board of the Cimarron Valley Fair are planning the details for a big horse and colt show at the fair which will eclipse anything of the kind ever given in Oklahoma. Interest in every department of the fair is great and prospects for a mammoth exhibit and greatly increased attendance are excellent.

SLATON DECISION COMES SATURDAY

(By Associated Press.)

Atlanta, Ga., June 17.—Gov. Slaton's decision in the Leo Frank case will be announced Saturday. It was said today.

Frank is condemned to die on Tuesday.

AMERICAN COLONISTS ON YAKU GIVEN CHOICE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 17.—American colonists on the Yakut valley will determine for themselves if they wish to leave the region of Indian depredations. Instructions to Admiral Howard are to give refuge and asylum if they ask for it, to land forces for rescue if necessary, but not to take any territory.

BEAUTIFUL YOUNG BRIDE IS MURDERED IN BED

BURGLAR ENTERED ROOM, KILLED WIFE AND COMMITTED SUICIDE, SAYS HUSBAND

(By Associated Press.)

New York, June 17.—Carban-Cornelius, a rich merchant, summoned the neighbors to his apartment and announced that a burglar had killed his wife. His beautiful bride, Barbara, twenty, was found dead in bed, with three bullets in her head. On the floor lay a well dressed man of thirty-five with a shot in his temple, clutching a revolver.

Cornelius said the intruder entered the bed room for the purpose of robbery, shot and killed his wife. He said he believed the supposed burglar committed suicide while he was seeking help. Police are unable to shake his story.

MYSTERIOUS CHARACTERS IN GREEK ROYAL TRAGEDY



All Greek officials in the United States and abroad have strenuously denied a wild report, published in Paris, that the illness of King Constantine of Greece was caused by nothing less than an attack by Queen Sophia. The Paris report had it that she, a sister of Kaiser Wilhelm, believed to be strongly friendly to Germany in the war, had stabbed the king because of his leaning toward the allies.

LOGAN COUNTY HAS MORE THAN 500 BRIDGES

MILLION DOLLARS SPENT FOR THEIR CONSTRUCTION SINCE OPENING

Logan county has more than 500 bridges spanning its streams and rivers. It has been estimated by chairman Jack Langston that the taxpayers have paid out more than one million dollars for "tin" bridges since the opening of the county in 1889.

"Take it from me," said Mr. Langston today, "Logan county will never have another 'tin' bridge placed over a stream so long as I am on the board, and Commissioners Oliver and Sloan are of the same determination. Hereafter when a bridge is needed it will be constructed out of concrete and steel and will last for all time."

The last of the 23 bridges bought by the old board of commissioners from the Canton bridge company will be up and completed by Saturday. It spans the Skelton 8 miles north of the city and opens up an entirely new trade territory. It is located on the Glass farm, and is one of the best small bridges in the county. "I am well pleased with the work done on the Glass bridge," said Commissioner Sloan today. "The Canton people certainly know their business. However we have had a special superintendent on the work to see that all specifications were carried out."

The county surveyor is now busy compiling bridge and road statistics and will have the work completed by the end of the fiscal year. A book has been made to keep records of roads and bridges and hereafter the county commissioners and county clerk will know to a dollar the cost of each bridge and mile of road in the county.

Dies of Injuries.

Frank Thompson died at Enid this morning from injuries received in a runaway.

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TO BE PREPARED IS TO PROVOKE WAR, SAYS BRYAN

FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE SUBMITS HIS ARGUMENT FOR PEACE

AMERICA HAS NO EXCUSE TO ENTER WAR

PREPAREDNESS CARRIES WITH IT DISPOSITION TO EXERCISE IT

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, June 17.—Declaring that preparedness provokes war and that the European upheaval will result in the false philosophy that "might makes right," W. J. Bryan, ex-secretary of state, today issued a statement submitting an argument against military preparation by the United States and praising President Wilson.

"If any nation is without an excuse for entering war it's the United States," says Bryan.

"We are protected by thousands of miles of ocean and this is worth more than a large number of battleships. We have additional protection in the fact that we have men to form an army of defense if ever attacked, and we would have money, too, more money than we would have if all the surplus earnings of the people were invested in armament. We not only do not need additional preparation, but we are fortunate in not having it, since it seems impossible for a nation to have what is called 'preparedness' without having along with it a disposition to use this 'preparedness' on the slightest provocation. It is, indeed, happy for our nation that we have in the White House a president who believes in settling the old world a good example instead of following the bad example which it sets in the matter."

POSTOFFICE HANDICAP REMAINS IN THE AIR

Dr. Kimberly vouches for the statement that he has the local postmaster's signed up "I will get the office," said Dr. Kimberly.

Congressman Joe Thompson has not as yet succeeded in adjusting the difficulties.

Senator Owen has said that Jim Lewis is "odious" to him, while Senator Gore declare he will not permit the confirmation of Olmuth Payne, Van Hoozer or Tyler. Lewis is supporting J. D. Burke for the postmastership, since he can not be confirmed. The postmaster handicap is made up of Olmuth "Pony" Wallace, Payne, Van Hoozer, Spear, Burke, Lewis, Adler, Derwin, Kimberly, Crow and Tyler. The town of Marshall is also having a postmaster scrap, which Mr. Thompson has been called on to "adjust."

END LUSITANIA PROBE IN LONDON

London, June 17.—The Lusitania investigation ended today. Blame will be attached to Cunard line officials. Evidence showed lack of boat drills and cold boilers.

RICHEST MAN IN STATE IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

Tulsa, Okla., June 17.—R. T. Daniel, multi-millionaire and richest man in Oklahoma was sued today by his wife for separation and alimony. The wife alleges cruelty.

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BOOSTER CLUB HOLD ENTHUSIASTIC SESSION

MEMBERSHIP OF POPULAR YOUNG MEN'S ORGANIZATION IS RAPIDLY INCREASING

The regular meeting of the Young Men's Booster club, which was held Tuesday evening was one in which wit and humor were interspersed with the more serious business affairs of the club. Capt. H. L. Mason of the local militia company entertained the members of the club with explanations of the various military schools and the different maneuvers used in modern warfare. His narration of the various methods of offense and defense was enjoyed by the members of the club.

Lloyd Leonard, chairman of the membership committee reported a constantly increasing membership of the club, and that it was no longer necessary to solicit members, in order to increase the membership, as people who were eligible to join, and who had the good of the city at heart were anxious to become members of the organization. Clifford Eisenschmidt, treasurer of the club advocated the securing of more factories, and thus increasing the pay roll of the city, and his ideas on the subject were strongly endorsed by E. E. Parsons and the other members of the club who were present. The completion of the oil well on the Carter farm was discussed, and it was the sense of the meeting, that the early completion of the well, should be considered one of the most important matters for the benefit of the city.

Among the things which the club has in view for the benefit of the city and community in the future, are the establishment of training grounds for big league baseball teams during the spring season, and the probable securing of a moving picture concern for the taking and making of films. After the meeting a committee was selected to interview Congressman J. B. Chapman and give him the respects of the club.

MILLSAP "CUSSED" JARRELL AND HE IS ARRESTED

John Millsap was arrested on a charge made by L. E. Jarrell today. Millsap is charged with using obscene and abusive language. A jury is trying Millsap this afternoon before Justice Burlingame. Millsap charged Jarrell with saying that he had booze in his room and that it was for sale. Jarrell says he can prove everything he says. "And furthermore," he added "no one can bluff me."

STUDENTS GIVE BOOTLEG TIPS, RAIDS FOLLOW

23 WARRANTS ISSUED AND 8 ARRESTS FOR ALLEGED LIQUOR VIOLATIONS

Twenty-three warrants — the Skidoo number — were issued by County Prosecutor Swank Wednesday night and Thursday covering alleged violations of the prohibitory law. The warrants were served by Sheriff Sherwood's force. At several places the serving took the form of raids. Eight arrests were made.

As a result of the raids the city is abnormally dry and padlock stock is rising.

L. E. Jarrell, president of the Commercial City Business College, ex v. Osborn and Arnold Hill, two students in the college swore to all the complaints.

The places where whisky was procured by the three complainants, were:

- John McGinn's Chicago Soup House, located on south second street.
- Jones Hotel basement.
- Elks Hotel (Porter).
- Windsor Place, at entrance to "Death Alley" on West Harrison.
- Mrs. John Mathews restaurant on South Second Street.

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SUFFRAGE MADE DEEP RECORDS IN 22 STATES

RESULTS OF WORK IN VARIOUS LEGISLATURES IS SUMMARIZED

CALIFORNIA HOLDS SUFFRAGE A SUCCESS

12 STATES VOTED DOWN THE MEASURE; 3 VOTES KILLED IN TEXAS AND INDIANA

(By Associated Press.)

New York, June 17.—Equal suffrage and other legislation affecting women figured prominently this year in the discussions of a large majority of the state legislatures. The sessions of most of them have now come to a close and a summary of their activities compiled by The Associated Press discloses that the question of woman suffrage came up for deliberation in twenty-two states and that divorce laws, mothers' pensions, women police, minimum wage, women's marriage or other subjects relating to women were considered in twenty-seven states.

The legislatures of seven states adopted resolutions whereby a constitutional amendment giving women equal suffrage rights with men will be submitted to the people at fall elections either this or next year. They are Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania in 1915; Iowa, South Dakota and West Virginia in 1916. Tennessee adopted a similar resolution, but it must also be passed by the next succeeding legislature before it can be submitted to the voters. So did Arkansas, but the resolution was ineffective because of a provision of the state constitution which forbids more than three constitutional amendments to be submitted at one election and three had already been filed with the secretary of state.

California adopted a resolution declaring that woman suffrage in that state had been an unqualified success. Alabama still considers the question at an adjourned session to begin July 7.

In twelve states woman suffrage measures met defeat — Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Indiana, Michigan, New Mexico, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Texas, Vermont and Wisconsin. Thirteen votes defeated the measure in Indiana. It was passed by the senate with only three votes registered against it, but a motion in the house to call the bill out of committee failed to carry, 45 to 49.

Texas killed it. Three yeas also killed the measure in the Texas legislature, where it was introduced in the house. A two-thirds majority, however, was required to pass it and the suffragist supporters eluded a great gain. The resolution did not reach the senate.

Eight yeas defeated the bill in the assembly of Wisconsin and there was a bitter contest on the question in Montana where, undisturbed by the

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THE WEATHER



(By Associated Press.)
New Orleans, La., June 17.—Tonight, unsettled, probably showers; Friday, partly cloudy.